



2013 – 2014
ANNUAL PUBLICATIONS CONTEST
DEPARTMENT OF MINNESOTA
VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS
OF THE UNITED STATES

For more information on the 2013-2014 Post and District Publications Contest: contact Don Heuer, Department Publications and Public Relations Chair. Phone: 952-217-3429 or 612-418-6364, [e-mail: realdoncool1@yahoo.com](mailto:realdoncool1@yahoo.com).

The 2013-2014 Veterans of Foreign Wars Post and District Publications Contest recognizes excellence in Post and District publications. Entries will be judged on content, design, pictures and graphics (where relevant), and overall quality. Awards will be presented to the winners at the Department Convention and will include a Sweepstakes Award to the best overall publication.

Any Minnesota VFW Post or District that regularly publishes a newspaper or newsletter for its members may enter. Awards will be presented for first, second, and honorable mention, if judged applicable, to the winners. Entries will be judged by Membership Category - 99 and less; 100-179; and 180 or more. If your Post has a web site, it must be recognized by the Department of Minnesota and listed as such in the Department's list of Posts. The web site should be easy to access, please keep it up to date as well as informative for your members. We will be searching through the web sites from time to time throughout the year.

Please submit your entries early. **Deadline is March 9, 2014.** Send your two (2) best issues, printed between **January, 2013 and December, 2013**. Place your entry in a 9 X 12 envelope and clearly identify it by writing "**Publications Contest**" on the outside. Include your return address and enclose the completed form below.

MAIL TO: Don Heuer, Chair
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Entries will NOT be returned, and the judges' decisions will be final

ENCLOSE THIS FORM WITH YOUR POST/DISTRICT ENTRY!

POST/DISTRICT # _____ COMMANDER'S NAME _____

ADDRESS _____ Phone _____

EDITOR'S NAME _____

ADDRESS _____ Phone _____

NAME OF PUBLICATION _____

CATEGORIES:

POSTS: SMALL (99 or Fewer) MEDIUM (100-179) LARGE (180 or more)

DISTRICTS: SMALL (1,299 or less) MEDIUM (1,300-2,099) LARGE (2,100 or more)

Membership total _____